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RE: Proposed Assessment for Cessation Order MC-05-01-16(1)

To Whom It May Concern:

On October 25, 2005 we received a proposed assessment for the Cessation Order No. MC-05-16(1) from an inspection performed by Lynn Kunzler. We currently have an informal hearing scheduled for November 17, 2005 at 10:00 AM to discuss this cessation order. As we are not in agreement with the cessation order, we are also not in agreement with the fine assessed. We are requesting an informal hearing for the assessment to immediately follow the informal hearing regarding the cessation order. Please let us know if this will work for everyone involved. If you have any other questions, please direct them either to myself, or Lon Thomas.

Thank you for your help in resolving this matter.

Sincerely,

Marie Ludwig

Assistant to the President

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